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## MS PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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## Enclosed are:

| $\boxtimes$ | A specification consisting of eight (8) pages   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| $\boxtimes$ | One (1) sheet(s) formal drawings  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|             | Applicant does not claim priority   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| ⊠           | Applicant claims the right of priority under the provision of 35 U.S.C. § 119 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.55(a) based of Application No(s). 03405283.7 filed in Europe on April 2:2003.  Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.  Certified copy(ies) will follow. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | Executed Declaration (  Original   Photocopy)   |  |  |  |  |  |  |



| $\boxtimes$ | An assignment of the invention  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|             | Application Data Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.76                  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | Preliminary Amendment   |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 and reference(s)                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\boxtimes$ | Other: German Application as originally filed.                              |  |  |  |  |  |
|             | Applicant requests early publication - \$300.00 publication fee             |  |  |  |  |  |
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